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## IMPRESSIONS OF CONGRESS

10,000 at Medical Congress Last Summer

### "BUCK" ELDER

Wonderful System Lauded by Speaker.—McGill Grads Welcomed Everywhere.

Speaking on "Impressions of the International Congress," held in London last summer, at the Medical Society meeting last night, Dr. Elder, perhaps better known as Buck Elder, dwelt particularly on the magnitude of the undertaking.

The Congress was held every four years in different countries and attracted people from all over the world. There were fully ten thousand delegates present at that held last summer. The cost of the congress amounted to £40,000.

Discussions took place on twenty-six different phases of medical science. Papers of a very distinct order of merit were read. Among the outstanding ones, were those of Sir Wm. Osler on Medicine, Dr. Harvey Cushing on Surgery, and Sir John Burn on Local Government.

A rare compliment was paid by the speaker to the wonderfully systematic way in which the Congress had been conducted by the English. He dwelt at some length on the delightful and surprising way in which one and all had been treated. He said that they had had a wonderfully good time. It was a surprise when much less was expected, and when considering the enormous crowd that had to be handled, one would be satisfied that some hitches would occur in arrangements.

The Germans were in the majority in attendance at the conference. McGill graduates were especially welcomed everywhere, said the speaker.

This great gathering, which is unique in its own way, was formally opened by Prince Arthur of Connaught.

The thanks of the society for his interesting and instructive address were tendered Dr. Elder by Grant and A. J. Martin.

Dr. Elder's paper on Sero-Therapy read before the Congress was discussed in a paper also read before the society last night by George Fleet, 14.

Piano selections by Cleveland, Pud Argue and Baby, interspersed through the evening's programme helped to round off what was likely the best meeting held by the Medical Society so far this session.

## SENIOR HOCKEY.

There will be a senior hockey practice at 2.30 this afternoon on the campus rink. Negotiations are under way for a game in Boston on the 31st of the month. The trip is practically a certainty. The opponents of the Red and White team will either be Harvard or the Boston A. A.

## AIMS OF NEW ORGANISATION

"Education of Working Women in England."

### MR. MANSBRIDGE

Tells Women's Canadian Club of Growth of University Extension Work.

The Women's Canadian Club enjoyed an exceptionally interesting lecture yesterday on the subject of "The Education of Working Women in England," by Mr. Albert Mansbridge, now making his return journey to England after a lecturing tour in Australia. Mr. Mansbridge spoke with extraordinary vividness and force, the vividness and force of one who believes in his message and who speaks from experience. Like the pious Aeneas, he has himself been a great part of that which he relates.

For some years now Mr. Mansbridge has been secretary of the Worker's Education Association, an aim in his case it is evident that being secretary means being to a great extent the apostle and preacher of the organization.

The organization is the outgrowth of the University Extension Movement, long an educational agency of great force in England. University extension offered courses of lectures and direction of studies with essay courses and examinations by university lecturers to groups of persons outside the university. The suggestion to bridge the gap between the university with its extensions and the organizations of workingmen and women apparently cut off from all educational advantage was made by Mr. Mansbridge himself at an article in the University Extension Journal in 1903.

This suggestion, being put before certain groups of workers, was soon understood that it was a need. To Mr. Mansbridge put yesterday, "we aim to have every audience produce a class," and in a remarkable number of cases, the desired result follows.

The instruction of these classes is undertaken by university men of recognized qualifications, hours and conditions are arranged, and so the hitherto unrelated classes, the manual workers and the academic thinkers are brought together. Lengthy courses in subjects like History, Literature and Philosophy are often arranged, and working men and women are found willing to pledge themselves to devote two or three hours a week to a course extending over three years, and not only to attend every lecture, but to do the required reading and essay writing and to enter for the final examination.

The high standard of some of the work sent in is said to have astonished the university examiners.

The Association is now a Federation of over 1,000 societies, and the individual membership runs to many thousands.

Mr. Mansbridge's address was less a formal account of the organization than a series of vivid pictures of his own experience in presenting his idea to audiences of workers and his intense enthusiasm and remarkable sympathy gave a thrilling sense of reality to his narration. The audience was made to feel that this university beyond the universities was the one which perhaps of all those yet heard of best deserved its name—a list body of seekers after knowledge, literally universal in comprehensiveness, boys and girls from mill and factory, casual workers in the warehouse, women whose days were given to toil but who are still ready to give of their scanty leisure to gain self-improvement. Even, in some cases, at seventy years of age.

Mr. Mansbridge's address was especially women's education, but his survey included the larger field.

## ASSAULT AT ARMS FEB. 21

Preparations for Intercollegiate Hockey, Wrestling and Fencing Tournament.

Arrangements for the Intercollegiate Assault-at-Arms are now practically completed and the McGill management announced that this big college event will probably be pulled off on February 21, in the Scots' Armoury, on Bleury street, or in the Drill Hall on Craig street. Varsity now holds the title.

The McGill wrestling team will meet the M.A.A.A. squad the first week in February, after which the Red and White men will have their annual barnstorming trip to the Eastern American colleges. Cornell University on February 14th, Syracuse on the 17th and a trip to Penn. State are on the itinerary.

A possible McGill wrestling team was chosen on Thursday afternoon by Coach George Smith as follows:

125 lb. class—Audette.  
125 lb. class—Davis.  
Welterweights—Sutherland, McLean or Ford.  
Middleweight—Tucker, McPhail or Richardson.  
Light heavyweight—Trapp or Muri-son.  
Heavyweight—Patterson.

## MATHEWSON LIB. LEADER

Organization of Grits Almost Complete

### WHIPS CHOSEN

Liberals Will Put Forth Every Effort to Oust Tories—Well Under Way

Art Mathewson was chosen to lead the Liberal party at a well-attended meeting held in Strathcona Hall yesterday afternoon.

Hughson, who opened the meeting, outlined the idea of the Mock Parliament, and then called for nominations for a leader. Allan Oliver was nominated, but withdrew for the reason that he felt that there were others who, through longer experience, would be more qualified to occupy such an important position.

When Art Mathewson's name came up he claimed that pressure of work would handicap him very much, but that if he were given the position, he would do all that he could to further the interests of the Opposition. He suggested a man in Arts for the position, but was chosen notwithstanding. After Mathewson had taken the chair the next order of business was the election of whips. For the position of chief whip Griffith's name came up, but he asked that it should be withdrawn, as he felt that it would be absolutely impossible for him to attend to the work involved, owing to the fact that he had to face examinations at an early date.

The position fell to the lot of Allen Oliver, who, it was pointed out, had been an exceedingly hard worker for the Liberal cause during the two preceding years.

Regarding the appointment of other whips it was decided that a whip should be appointed from every faculty, who should at his own discretion, choose whips from the several years.

The appointments to these positions were as follows: Arts, Grier, Science, McFarlane; Law, Ferron, Bieler; Medicine, Frank Pedley.

Just before the meeting broke up, the newly-elected leader made a stirring appeal for party support. "The men we want," he said, "are men like Mr. Oliver, who will stand by the party and work all the harder when the party happens to be in adversity." Allen Oliver was called upon for a few words after this, and spoke by way of recognition of what the present leader had done for the cause of the Liberals in the past.

Fisher, who was appointed treasurer of the party, took up a collection to defray expenses.

The Liberal whips will meet in the hall at six o'clock on Monday.

Though the date of the first meeting of the Mock Parliament cannot yet be determined, it was ascertained from one of the members of the Lib. executive that it certainly would not open before the 22nd of the month.

## HIGH TRIBUTE PAID TO GENERAL WOLFE

Notable Gathering Marks Anniversary of His Birth.

London, Jan. 9.—Field Marshal Sir John French was the principal guest at the annual Wolfe's birthday dinner at Westham. He said he had always been an ardent advocate of the principle that youths and boys who were destined to become officers in the army, should commence a special military training at the earliest possible age.

He wondered how much Wolfe's very early training and his comparative youth at a time when the responsibility of a high command fell upon him, had to do with his daring conceptions and brilliant exploits at Louisbourg and Quebec.

Col. Ward presided at the banquet. Yesterday's celebration was in honour of the 187th anniversary of Wolfe's birth, and was arranged by the Westham Society, founded to preserve the historical character of Wolfe's birth-place. Incidentally it may be remarked that the George and Dragon is situated in the warlike high place, as on the night when in this quaint old vicarage Wolfe first saw the light.

The majority of those present had some personal or circumstantial link with their hero, including George Wolfe and Wolfe Aylward, direct descendants of the hero of Quebec; the earl of Stanhope, related to that William Pitt who selected Wolfe for the command of the expedition; Edward Moncton, of the family of General Moncton; Col. Warde, descended from Wolfe's friend of the same name; and Lieut.-Col. D. Campbell, descended from General Campbell of the Highland Brigade at Quebec.

## RAILWAY GRADS. MEETS TO-NIGHT

L. A. Coulin Will Read a Paper on "Passenger Service."

To-night, at eight o'clock sharp, the Association of Railway Graduates will meet at the Union.

Mr. L. A. Coulin will present a paper on "Passenger Service," and it is hoped that as many of the graduates and undergraduates—or any other—as possible will attend.

It is of necessity, that Mr. Allan McLeod, who is the president, and now is at Sudbury, and Mr. Morikill, the secretary, who is working at McAdam Junction, won't be present, but the proven successful plan of forwarding the minutes and paper of each meeting to absent members for remarks and criticism will be followed out as usual. This is the third regular meeting of the association, and it is going strong.

The next meeting will take place in the Union on February 7th, and the subject of discussion will be the C.P.R. apprenticeship course.

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## JOHN HOPKINS PROF. TO SPEAK ON EXCAVATIONS IN ASIA MINOR

Dr. D. M. Robinson, Noted Archaeologist Will Lecture Monday Eve ning.

The Montreal Branch of the Canadian Archaeological Society has been very fortunate in securing Professor D. W. Robinson, of Johns Hopkins University, to lecture on Monday night in the Physics Building. Dr. Robinson will speak on "Excavations in Asia Minor."

It will be remembered that Dr. Robinson took a prominent part in the Archaeological Association meetings held in Montreal during the holidays. The distinguished professor has occupied many positions of importance in the archaeological world. He was Annual Director of the American School at Athens during the years 1909-1910, as well as vice-president of the Archaeological Institute. Both of these offices are considered great honors.

Interest in Dr. Robinson's lecture will be increased when it is remembered that for the past five years he has spent the greater part of his time supervising excavation work.

He will thus be able to speak both from the theoretic and from the practical standpoint. The observations that he will have to make will be doubly valuable coming from one who possesses first-hand information on this intensely interesting subject. His lecture will be enhanced by the fact that he has some fifty illustrations bearing upon the subject in question, which will be thrown on the screen at intervals. It goes without saying that a great number will be present on Monday night.

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## FRENCH CLUB MAY HOLD PLAY AND READING COMPETITION

John Hackett to Address Club and Idea Will Then Be Discussed at Meeting Monday Afternoon.—Medals Donated By Alliance Francaise, of Montreal.

A French play and a Reading Competition are talked of, for the McGill French Club.

Every year it is the habit of the organization to have a play, held at the R.V.C. It was temporarily abandoned two years ago, but resumed again last year. The reading competition is for medals given by the

Alliance Francaise, the Montreal organization constructed on similar lines. It is held in the Union.

John Hackett, first president of the Students' Council, will address the club on Monday afternoon. The society will then decide whether they will keep up the old custom. All members are asked to turn out.

### A WISE SON.

Sheridan, the first time he met his son Tom after the marriage of the latter, being seriously angry with him, told him he had made his will and had cut him off with a shilling. Tom said he was, indeed, very sorry, and immediately added: "You don't happen to have the shilling about you now, sir, do you?"

### AS SHE HEARD IT.

A young lady who was inspecting bicycles said to the clerk: "What's the name of this wheel?"

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### THE BROWNING LETTERS.

When the Browning letters, as they are commonly termed, were sold in a London auction room last summer and passed into the hands of a dealer in rare books and manuscripts, there was an immediate outcry against such literary treasures as these being a possibility of going out of the country. That outcry has had its effect and has stirred a movement that will apparently mean the depositing of these treasures in England's great storehouse of history, the British Museum. The contents of these letters long ago ceased to be a mystery. The letters of Robert Browning and Elizabeth Barrett, making two good-sized volumes, may be found on the shelves of the Bodleian Library and of every other public library of any size. To students of Browning they possess marked interest, but they are not likely to interest the general reader. It is not often that two minds as keen and brilliant as Browning and his wife, reveal their thoughts as closely as is the case in these letters. They are many of them love letters in the truest sense of the word, but not many lovers are inclined to discuss the deep problems of philosophy as did this pair. Then, to add to the complex nature of this correspondence, Browning was quite as obscure in many of his letters as he is in some of his poems. He had but one reader for his letters and she understood. He has many readers of his poetry, and alas! they are not all keen-minded as Elizabeth Barrett.

England has lost many of her great literary treasures. Only recently the priceless Burns manuscripts have gone back from America to repose for the future in the land that gave birth to their writer. It is therefore pleasing to know that the Browning letters will not leave the land with which they are associated, and of whose literary history they are a part.

### "CLEANLINESS IS NEXT"

A missionary in Labrador says that he took a big shipment of soap up there for the use of the natives. Some he may make both Godly and clean, and some merely clean, but he is doing good work in either case.

## ROUND ABOUT THE COLLEGE

TO WHICH EVERYBODY IS A REPORTER.

E. A. Corbett, secretary of the McGill "7", will report on the Kansas City convention to the Y.M.C.A. of Montreal city, tonight, at 8 o'clock.

An interesting meeting of the Women's Canadian Club was held today in the Royal Victoria College, when Mr. Albert Mansbridge, of London, spoke on the "Education of the Working Women in England." The lecture was preceded as is usual at the club meetings, by luncheon. Those at the President's table were: Mrs. Huntly Drummond, the President; Mr. and Mrs. Mansbridge, Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Dale, Dr. Peterson, Mr. George MacDonald, Miss Cameron, the Rev. Frederick Griffin, Mr. Ballantyne, Miss Lily Douglas, Prof. Porter, Prof. Macnaughton, and members of the committee, Mrs. Beauchamp, Mrs. A. W. P. Buchanan, Mrs. Hamilton Gault, Miss Hurlbutt, Miss Hester Peck, and Miss Beatrice Caverhill.

A cafeteria has been opened at the Presbyterian College, between the

hours of ten and eleven every night. The members of the above institution who have been accustomed to wander into the "ham and" will now be able to have their wants satisfied nearer home.

Professor Fraser, of the Presbyterian College, will speak on the "Bible and Criticism," at the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

The McGill Cricket Club held a meeting in the Arts building last night. Business of a somewhat important nature was transacted.

The Methodist students were at St. John's on Thursday, having their pictures taken. The college was well represented and it is expected a good photo will be the result.

All the football boys were overhauled yesterday afternoon and mottos were liberally distributed through the

## GRAD OF '63 VISITS MCGILL

David Ross McCord Famous as Students of Early Canadian History.

A distinguished graduate of McGill paid a visit to the Arts Building recently. One of the Daily staff had the privilege of engaging in conversation with the gentleman who happened to be David Ross McCord, of Montreal. Mr. McCord stated that he had graduated from the Arts faculty in '63 at the age of 19. When asked if he saw any changes, he remarked that the Arts Building looked the same as ever.

Mr. McCord was born in Montreal in 1844, received his preliminary education at the High School, took his B.A. degree at McGill in '62, and graduated in law in '67, receiving the degree of M.A. the same year. He was appointed K.C. in 1890.

For many years Mr. McCord was an active practitioner at the Montreal bar. He served the municipality as alderman for a number of years. He has acted in the capacity of secretary of the local Liberal-Conservative Association.

Mr. McCord has been an exceptionally keen student of history all his life and, even at the advanced age of seventy, his time is fully occupied. He has gathered together the nucleus of a national museum at his home, "Temple Grove," Cote des Neiges road. Referring to him, someone has said, "One who probably has a more intimate knowledge of early Canadian history than any other man living."

The "Toronto Globe" has a number of unusual gifts, reading, and of great culture.

## WOOD AND INDUSTRY

The Forestry Branch, Ottawa, is now issuing a very comprehensive bulletin entitled, "The Wood-using Industries of Ontario." Leaving out of consideration the numerous industries engaged in the production of shingles, lath, ties, bridge-timber, and rough lumber, there still remain at least thirty-eight different industries more or less dependent on wood for their operations, and it is significant that even the most common commodities require wood in the process of manufacturing such. The exhaustion of Ontario's wood-supplies, the depletion of which is already evident from the fact that over one-quarter of its total expenditure of \$19,161,384 is paid for imported wood stock, would seriously cripple every Ontario industry.

Thirty-four different kinds of wood were used by the Ontario industries in the manufacture of everything in wooden produce from toys to threshing machines. Only eight of these woods had to be entirely obtained from outside sources, but, on the other hand, only six were entirely home-grown. However, almost 99 per cent. of the three principal species, namely, pine, spruce, and maple, which represent over one-half of the total quantity used, were purchased in Ontario.

The saw and wood industry easily takes first place among the wood-using industries, using 31.3 per cent. of the \$19,161,384, or, in other words, over \$6,000,000. The second place is taken by the pulp and paper industry, which, although using only 11.9 per cent. of the total, is responsible for only 14.8 per cent. of the total consumption. The bulletin contains a detailed tabulation of each industry, showing the value of its output, its utilization of wood waste, in the appendix is a classified directory of Ontario wood-using manufacturers.

Practically all industries are more or less dependent on wood. In Ontario alone, exclusive of the manufacturers of rough lumber, over thirty-eight different firms, supplied the statistics recently compiled and published by the Forestry Branch, Ottawa, in a bulletin entitled, "The Wood-using Industries of Ontario." These firms in 1912 purchased \$67,456,000, or, in other words, over \$6,000,000, of raw material, nevertheless was responsible for only 14.8 per cent. of the total consumption. The bulletin contains a detailed tabulation of each industry, showing the value of its output, its utilization of wood waste, in the appendix is a classified directory of Ontario wood-using manufacturers.

Not only is it remarkable that so many different industries, even including the furniture and cabinet-making, carry on their operations, but it is equally noteworthy that twenty-six of the thirty-four kinds of wood used should grow in Ontario. The supplies of the most common woods are not being exhausted, but this is not always the case, nor is it likely, with the steady rise in wood prices, that this will continue to be the case.

Mr. E. J. Zavitz, Ontario Forestry Commissioner, says: "There is at present in Ontario an aggregate of about 8,500 square miles of farmers' woodlands. It is safe to say that there is, in addition, to the assessed woodland, another area of 8,500 square miles which is suited only for forest growth. This means that Southern Ontario could eventually have over ten million acres of private woodland." Ontario was once a land of valuable hardwoods, and will be again.

Another remarkable thing illustrated by this bulletin is the variety of uses to which woods, still common in Ontario, may be put. Elm and basswood are used in thirty-one of the industries, ash and maple in twenty, and so on. The variety of uses for maple, Ontario's most important hardwood, has over one hundred listed uses, while birch and beech are being increasingly used, especially for hardwood flooring. Pine forms 21 per cent. of all the wood purchased by these industries, but is being gradually replaced by spruce, as the supply is nearing exhaustion. By observing the uses of the various woods, the classified directory of manufacturers, markets may be ascertained for cherry, apple, sumac and other supposedly little-used hardwoods, and also for many forms of wood-waste.

### SOME THOUGHTS ON FOOD.

Friends, Romans, Countrymen, lend me your ears.

Not to pluck, but to whisper into their furry depths, Man's chief end is to eat. The Shorter Catechism is—despite the want of food, fair reader, is to the cause of human starvation in this world. Morality takes men to heaven, food alone keeps them on earth. It is on record that one man lost his heaven because he was a glutton, and that meat was provided by a woman's flesh and blood. "If a man do not work, he shall not eat," he might have added, "If a man do not eat, he shall surely die." If these few homilies bear fruit, our end will have been accomplished, and a stop has been put to the mad race of the paragon of the minds of the students for the founding of what is longed for ardently by some, a chair in the university for "the study of the Natural Process of Mastication and Food Consumption."—The Sheaf.

## STUDENTS OF '13 AND '12 HAVE SPREAD HITHER AND YON

Many of Them Are Teaching; Numbers Have Entered Business; Others Studying for M. A. Degree.

John Heaton, president of Arts '13 last year is working with his father, of W. A. Scott, decorator, Peel street.

R. W. Holland, of Arts '12, is studying law at Vancouver, B.C. He won a medal in the Vancouver Debating League Public Speaking Competition.

W. E. G. Murray, first editor of the Daily, as the public press has often stated, is our Rhodes Scholar. News of his athletic prowess and his letters to the Times have been called across from the Old Country.

Miss Gladys Greaves, '12, is teaching in South Vancouver, B.C.

E. C. Cassels, last year's editor of the Daily, is on the Civil Service in Ottawa.

H. McLean, who graduated in Arts '12, is now a student at the Presbyterian College here. It is expected that Mr. McLean will graduate as a theological student in 1915.

Mr. I. Robinson graduated B.A. '12, preaches at the Shaw Memorial Methodist Church.

Douglas Cushing, B.A. (McGill), received his B.C.L. degree in 1911. He is now in the firm of Baron and Cushing, Notaries, Montreal.

William Lindsay graduated in honors in Greek and Latin 1912. He is engaged in tutorial work, and studying for the degree of M.A., which he expects to receive in May.

Allan McGarry, B.A., '13, is teaching in Montreal High School, and is working well for his M.A. degree.

H. Gordon Hatcher, B.A., '12, is now working for his B.D. degree in Wesleyan Theological College. He is also engaged as a tutor for the Associated Theological Colleges.

Clarke Kelly, B.A., '12, is preaching at Calumet, Que.

Douglas Armstrong, B.A., B.Sc., has been working with the Foundation Company, on the Customs House Building, McGill street, since his graduation.

Frank Common, B.A., '13, is assistant-secretary for the Medical "7." He is studying for his B.A. degree.

Miss Chase Going has spent the summer in Europe, and expects to study in Germany during the winter.

Miss Ethelwyn Harris, B.A., '12, has returned from a year's appointment in France, and is spending the winter in British Columbia.

Miss Hester Beattie, B.A., '13, has been appointed to Dalmeid Public School, Victoria, B.C., her home city.

Miss Dorothy Duff, B.A., '13, is demonstrator of the Zoology Department of McGill.

Eldon Busby, B.A., '13, is studying for his doctor's degree at Howard Medical School, Roxbury, Mass.

Miss Rose de L. Larivière, B.A., '13, is teaching at Strathcona Academy, Outremont.

Frank Davidson, B.A., '13, is studying for his M.A. at Harvard.

Miss Amelia Hocht, B.A., '12, has been appointed by the Protestant School Board, Alexandria School, Montreal.

Miss Violet MacEwen, B.A., '12, is in Children's Library, at Westmount.

Bill Hughes, B.A., '12, is completing his course at Wesleyan College. He is captain of the McGill Hockey team. He is studying for his M.A. degree.

Dr. Andrew Davies, of Hull, Quebec, is a grad. of two years' standing.

Miss Jean Armstrong, B.A., '13, is teaching at the Presbyterian Ladies' College, Ottawa.

Mrs. John Clark Reilly, of Greenville, Quebec, was Miss Beatrice Borlight, B.A., '12.

Miss Olive Reinhardt, '13, is the Physical Education Instructor of the Y.W.C.A. at Peterborough, Ont.

Miss Winifred Mount, '13, is teaching at Rosslyn School, Westmount.

SIR JOSEPH DUBUC GRADUATED IN '69

Had Long and Strenuous Public Career.

Sir Joseph Dubuc, former Chief Justice of Manitoba, a graduate of McGill, died this week at Los Angeles, Cal. The deceased, who was recognized as one of the ablest French Canadian in the West.

He was born at St. Martin, Que. in 1849, educated in the public schools of the province, received the degree of B.C.L. from McGill in 1869. He was settled in Manitoba in 1870. His rise was rapid and, although he had been rather successful in politics, he took the appointment of Crown Prosecutor and held it for some years. In 1878, he was elected to the Dominion Parliament but resigned his seat upon being offered a judgeship in the Court of Queen's Bench. He discharged his duties so well that, when the chief justiceship became vacant in 1908, he was appointed to the position. He received the honor of knighthood in 1912.

The Practical Mind—A certain school teacher was giving her class reading. It came to a part about a woman drowning herself. The teacher asked a boy to read again. He began: "She threw herself into the river. Her husband, horror-stricken, rushed to the bank—" The teacher interrupted: "Now, tell me why the husband rushed to the bank?" Quick and sharp came his answer: "Please, ma'am, to get the insurance money."—The Argonaut.

A Doubtful Compliment—Old Lady: "Well, here's a shilling for you, my poor man!"

Tramp: "A shillin'! Lor' bless yer, Lydy, if there ever was a fallen angel, you're it."—London Opinion.

## NOTES AND NEWS OF GRADUATES

What Men Are Doing Who Possess McGill Degrees.

E. R. Paterson, Arts, '09, now occupies the position of Provincial Secretary of the Canadian Boy Scouts' Movement. Mr. Paterson was secretary of the McGill Y.M.C.A. two years ago.

Ed. Corbett, Arts, '09, Presbyterian College, '12, is at present secretary of the McGill Y.M.C.A. Last year he was in charge of the Presbyterian Church at Watrous, Sask.

Phineas Fletcher, Arts '11, is now studying theology at the P. C. He was assistant-secretary of the McGill Y.M.C.A. two years ago and last year was Boys' Secretary at the Y.M.C.A. in Stratford, Ont.

Wilbert Fraser, Med., '10, is practising in one of the largest of the hospitals in London, England. He was a delegate at the International Medical Congress, held in Paris last summer, and performed a difficult operation before the congress. So successful was he in this that he received two very flattering offers from hospitals in the United States but has decided to remain where he is at present.

John McNeill, M.A., B.D., who won the Shakespeare Gold Medal at McGill in '09, took his B.D. degree at Westminster Hall, Vancouver, in '12. He studied in Edinburgh last winter and at Halle, Germany, last summer.

K. W. Dowle, Arch., '10, is now a missionary in Tamsui, Formosa. On his way there last fall, he was delayed thirteen days and had his motorcycle stolen. He was secretary at the McGill Y. last year and holds the intercollegiate hurdle record.

R. A. C. Henry, B.A., B.Sc., is engaged in Government work at Ottawa. He may be found in the department of Railways and Canals.

Rev. P. L. Richardson, who graduated in Arts, 1888, is now registrar for Wesleyan Theological College. Besides, he finds time to preach at Montreal West and lectures for the Associated Theological Colleges in Montreal.

Andrew Davies, Med., '12, is practising in Hull, Quebec.

The M.B.C. staff.—Wm. Muir Edwards is assistant professor of Mechanical Engineering in the University of Alberta. Arthur Roberts is with Prof. McKergow. A. E. Foreman is now Assistant City Engineer of Victoria, B.C., while James E. Egleson is superintendent of the Delaware Works of the General Chemical Company, Marcus Hook, Pa. Stuart Crawford has branched out in business for himself under the style and name of National Food Mana.

R. V. Slavin, B.Sc., '10, is industrial engineer with the city of Winnipeg Light and Power Department.

Walter Munn, a McGill grad., with honors, has left his teaching work in the McGill University College, British Columbia, to take up a post-graduate course in Boston Tech.

A. J. Knowling, Arts, '11, is studying law with Messrs. McKeggart & DeBeck, Vancouver. Ned DeBeck, himself, is a McGill grad. of reputation. He was captain of the track team while here, and was a candidate for the Rhodes Scholarship.

Miss Lucy Howell, B.A., M.A., is teaching in Chesterfield School, North Vancouver.

Horace F. Strong, of the class of Science, '10, was for ten months chief engineer of the Ungava Mines and Traders' Syndicate, and spent nearly a year near Hudson Bay.

R. McVey, Arts, '13, '13, is now a missionary in the Peace River District. He is stationed at an outpost 300 miles from a railroad.

Harry Yuill, B.Sc., '09, is with the British South Africa Company's Mines, Rhodesia.

Dr. Drysdale, B.Sc., '09, is the assistant geologist of the Geological Survey, Mining Department, Ottawa.

The class of Science, '02, is coming to the fore. Prof. McKergow is a member of it. So is Mr. Kendall.

Charles Cantley, assistant general manager of the Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Company, is a member of the graduating class of Science, '09, while Fred Bunton, of the same class, is assistant superintendent of the B.C. Copper Company's big smelter at Greenwood, B.C., and George Smith is engineer of the Raulf Company, Milwaukee.

### HELP TO PATIENCE.

In such a work, so thorny, and where finds happiness unlighted, or, if found, Without some thistle sorrow at its side, I seek the part of wisdom, and no gain Against the law of love, to measure lots With less distinguished than ourselves, That thus We may with patience bear our modest ills. And sympathize with others, suffering more.

—Cowper.

## AMUSEMENTS

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Those who are interested in slang will no doubt be amused by the following extract from "McMasters Monthly" entitled, "Favorite Slang Expressions."

"The Judge—Go hang. The dentist's—You have a nerve. The dyptist's—That's rich. The minister's—Good Lord. The lover's—I like your cheek. The sportsman's—Oh! shoot it. The drummer's—Beat it. The single-taxer's—By George. The doctor's—Dead easy. The detective's—After you, my dear Alphonse. The dyer's—Faded away. The printer's—The devil. The spendthrift's—Dear me.



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# DISCOVERY OF TRUTH

"The Discovery of Truth" is the subject that the Rev. A. P. Shattford has chosen to address students upon tomorrow afternoon at Strathcona Hall. Mr. Shattford is the rector of St. James the Apostle's Church, and is well known in the city as a lecturer. Doubtless many will avail themselves of this opportunity of hearing him speak upon this all-important theme.

# SUNDAY SINGS

The Sunday evening sings will commence again to-morrow night after church at Strathcona Hall. New hymn-books have been secured. Many have been accustomed to gather round the cheerful fire place, the reading room and while away an hour Sunday evenings in this profitable way.

# THE DISADVANTAGES OF IGNORANCE

I met a poet once.  
A-sitting on a hill.  
"What makes you seem so sad?" I said.  
"What makes you look so ill?"  
"My verses, sir," the poet cried  
"I get them muddled so."  
I can't remember where the verbs  
And adjectives should go.  
Oh, lackaday and woe is me,  
I do not know the rule!  
I was always inattentive to my Grammar.  
While at school.

And one day, after dinner,  
When the waiter brought the bill,  
I saw he'd charged me far too much  
And cried, in accents shrill—  
"You dufferhead! What do you mean?"  
You've added in the date,  
And put the figures upside-down,  
And multiplied by eight!"  
"I beg your pardon, sir," he sobbed,  
His voice was quivering thick.  
"But when at school, I never learned  
To do Arithmetic."

I used to know an actor chap  
And once, behind the stage,  
I found him stamping up and down  
In histrionic rage.  
"Why do you fret?" I asked him then.  
And he replied, "Gadooks!"  
They always make me play the part  
Of Kings and Earls and Dukes;  
I don't know much about them, sir,  
So don't know how they act.  
I never learnt my History, at school,  
And that's a fact."

One day upon a motor trip  
I asked the chauffeur, where  
We all were going? He just shook  
His head, and I declare  
He answered thus—"I do not know  
Where we are going."  
We may turn up in Portugal  
Or else in Timbuctoo.  
Oh, Sir," he whispered, as I frowned,  
"Be not too harsh with me—  
For I was backward, as a boy,  
In my Geography."

And as I sit down to write  
A moral to this rhyme,  
And beg you all to study hard,  
You never know the time  
When you may need to know the things  
The teachers prate about:  
And great will be your grief some day  
If you have left them out.  
(And meanwhile, if these lines are rough,  
The author's very sad,  
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—Paul Sheard, in Ottawa College Magazine.

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# SKI CLUB PROPOSED

Organization Meeting Monday.  
—Entries for Montreal Ski Club Competitions.

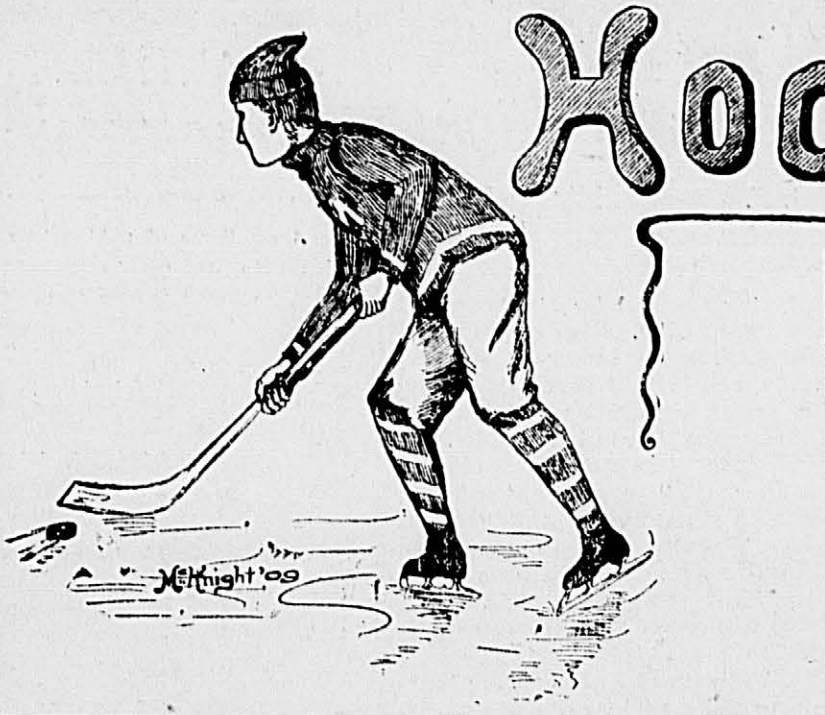
The latest proposition in sporting circles at McGill is to start a McGill Ski Club.  
In order to find out what can be done in this matter there will be a meeting in Room A, Strathcona Hall, 5 p.m., Monday, the twelfth of January.  
There will be a chance for any men to enter into the cross-country run of the Montreal Ski Club on January 17th.  
Jumpers will also be very much in demand at that time, so anyone interested in skiing is requested to attend this meeting in Strathcona Hall. Judging from the number of McGill men to be seen out on skis on Saturday of Sunday on the mountain there should be no scarcity of material for a good Ski Club.  
It stands to reason that a club formed in a university can be better controlled, where all the members are in touch with one another, than can a city club where the members are scattered from one end of the city to the other.  
Taking these facts into consideration, McGill ought to be able to form a more than creditable club, and more particularly as a great number of the members will be athletes.  
It is hoped this meeting will be well attended, so that matters may be talked over and something decided.

# HOW TO BEGIN A LEGAL CAREER

Harvard Law School Graduate Has Suggestions.

Richard Ames, 67, Secretary of the Law School of Harvard, publishes an article in the Law Review for January entitled "Suggestions from Law School Graduates as to where and how to begin practice." Mr. Ames, in gathering material for the article, addressed letters to all the graduates of the last ten years and received answers from about half of them. The questions asked were: (1) "What (nearly) you can estimate (1) have been your net earnings from law each year since graduation? And (2) "Have you any suggestions to offer to students about to graduate who are about to begin their career in law?"  
From the answers received a tabulation was made of the average earnings for the first ten years after graduation from men in many different parts of the country. The figures show that the average earnings range from \$664 for the first year to \$5,760 for the tenth year, the earnings increasing at the rate of about \$500 a year. These figures have been deduced from the tables of earnings by sections of the country, by size of cities, and by particular cities. On comparison of New England with all the field outside of New England, it is seen that the earnings in this section are less to begin with and less throughout. This is perhaps caused by the fact that New England is more crowded with well-trained lawyers than any other part of the country, making the competition keener. In comparing the territory east of the Mississippi with that west of the Mississippi, it is found that the eastern section has the lower average, and doubtless for the same reason. In the eighth year out, the average east of the Mississippi is larger than the west, but this cannot be relied upon owing to the fact that the figures given out for that year for men west of the Mississippi are based upon only ten answers.  
On comparison of cities of over 100,000 population with those of less than 100,000, it appears that for the first three years the earnings are larger in the small city, but that after that the reverse is in the main true. A fairly accurate comparison was made between Boston and New York, and though the former is distinctly behind for the first five or six years, there seems to be little difference after that.  
As to the question of location, many advocate settling in the South or West, on the ground that the beginner has more chance there. The opinions in this are, however, not uniform, and there are some who think that the East offers more opportunities. There is much discussion as to the advisability of settling in a large or small place. It is generally conceded that the man of only fair ability should settle in the small city, for there his ability will count for more. Relatively unknown men or those without exceptional ability or opportunity are advised to keep away from Boston or New York. As to the question of starting in practice, a man has little choice if he has no capital. Most men advise everyone to start with some established firm, but there is much discussion as to whether the large or small firm is the more desirable. The ideal combination seems to be the large firm which gives its assistants responsibility and variety of work. Ordinarily a man should not go into an office with the idea of remaining there permanently unless he is reasonably sure of being taken into the firm.

**THE LESSER EVIL.**  
Briggs—"You must have a lot of trouble keeping your wife dressed up in the height of style."  
Griggs—"Yes, but it's nothing to the trouble I'd have if I didn't."—Boston Transcript.



Notwithstanding the efforts of Jimmy and his stalwarts to keep the ice clear there was about two inches of snow on the surface of the Campus rink last night for the practice. Though the weather was anything but favorable for hockey there was a goodly number of the senior squad on deck.  
The first game of the Intercollegiate series is just a week away and as the other teams in the league have all been down to hard work for some time, the McGill team needs all the practice it can get. Both Queens and Varsity have been travelling through the States and hence should be in pretty good trim when they skate on the ice for the first game. The aspirants for the Red and White team had several work-outs both here and in Ottawa, but as yet have had few chances to work together.  
The senior defence of last year's team are intact this year and there are several promising candidates who make

# SNAPPY WORK SEEN AT BASKETBALL PRACTICES

Large Turnout.—Men in Good Form.—Strong Defence.—Lamb's Work Telling.—Intermediate Practice To-day.

The fastest, snappiest basketball practice of the season took place in the Y. M. C. A. gym. All the members of both senior and intermediate squads were out and kept up the good work for an hour. The practice hours are very inconvenient but in spite of this drawback the men turn out without fail.  
The senior team is going better now than at any time last season and it will take a fast team to take the intercollegiate honors from them. At last night's practice the scoring was particularly good. Kennedy and McLaughlin on the forward line work in well and are shooting accurately. Smith at centre is in fine trim and can play the centre game as it ought to be played. The defence is very strong with Baldwin, Willcroft and Connover. It will take a good forward division to score against this defence. In addition, they are dangerous men when allowed to shoot.  
Mr. Lamb has been coaching the team and this work is telling. He has had plenty of experience and has a keen interest in the team. He will be out at every practice from now on and should have the team in tip top shape for their first game against Queens.  
The intermediate team is going strong and set plenty of practice against the seniors. They are entered in the Y. M. C. A. Provincial League and should come out winners, duplicating last season's victory. Their schedule was drawn up last night, giving home and home games with North Branch Y. M. C. A., Railroad Y. M. C. A. and Macdonald College.  
The players out last night were Baldwin, Smith, McLaughlin, Kennedy, Willcroft, Connover, Johnston, H. Ferguson, Upham, McKeown.  
Saturday at 6:15 is the next date for practice and a large turnout is expected. Coach Lamb will be on hand and a successful practice can be counted on.  
The following are the schedules of the two teams:  
The schedule of the senior team is exactly the same as that of the senior basketball team. The dates of intermediate and junior teams are as follows:  
Jan. 24—Railroad at North Branch.  
Jan. 31—Railroad Y. M. C. A. at Macdonald.  
Feb. 2—North Branch at McGill.  
Feb. 7—North Branch at Macdonald.  
Feb. 12—North Branch at Railroad.  
Feb. 13—Macdonald at McGill.  
Feb. 18—Railroad at McGill.  
Feb. 21—McGill at Macdonald.  
Feb. 28—Railroad at North Branch.  
Mar. 5—McGill at Railroad.  
Mar. 7—Macdonald at North Branch.  
Mar. 11—Macdonald at Railroad.  
JUNIOR A.  
Feb. 7—North Branch at Macdonald.  
Feb. 14—Railroad at Macdonald.  
Feb. 19—North Branch at Railroad.  
Feb. 26—Macdonald at Railroad.  
Feb. 28—Railroad at North Branch.  
Mar. 7—Macdonald at North Branch.

# THINGS THEATRICAL

**MARGARET ANGLIN.**  
The engagement of Margaret Anglin at His Majesty's Theatre next week is attracting very wide attention, not only on account of the popularity of the actress and the eminence and dignity of her position in the theatrical firmament, but also of the attractive nature of her Shakespearean repertory and the excellence of her supporting company. The repertory and its order of presentation will be as follows:—Monday and Thursday nights and Wednesday matinee, "Twelfth Night." Tuesday night, "As You Like It." Wednesday and Saturday nights, "The Taming of the Shrew." Friday and Saturday matinee, "Antony and Cleopatra." The curtain on "Antony and Cleopatra" will raise promptly at 8 o'clock. All four of Miss Anglin's rivals will be mounted sumptuously: "Twelfth Night" for instance will be Elizabethan, but Lydian in its treatment, with a suggestion of the Moorish. There will be no green foliage, instead there will be a suggestion of the Ottoman dome through the mauve-gray of the shrubs and the blue of the cypresses. "As You Like It" on the other hand, will be pure English—an old colored engraving of the country woodlands. The Forest of Arden will represent the deep bosky shades of solitude. Half a dozen great gnarled tree trunks will show the background and the rest of the stage will represent a mossy flower-sprinkled nook. Between the monstrous trunks will shine vistas of shimmering green.  
"The Taming of the Shrew" will, of course, be pure Renaissance, colored and lighted to the warm glow of the old masters.  
"Antony and Cleopatra" will follow the essential love episodes of the tragedy. All the unnecessary battle scenes will be eliminated and the story reduced to the drastic and tragic incidents of the two focal characters. The costumes and settings of each play will be arranged artistically and harmoniously. The whole scheme of color and lighting was carefully thought out by Miss Anglin in co-operation with Livingston Platt, who made the designs and supervised the construction of every article and costume in Miss Anglin's repertory. The representation of these plays in Miss Anglin's method and acted by a Shakespearean company of vast training and experience should attract the attention of theatre-goers of all classes.



The Eminent Canadian Actress, Margaret Anglin, at His Majesty's Next Week, in "Shakespeare."

the older men hustle to hang onto their jobs.  
The forward line will practically be a new one as Billy Wilson, Caley Smith and Thompson are absentees this winter. However, Ryley, Wickson, Musson and Demuth, who all played on different occasions with the senior team, are out again and Davidson, who played on the seniors two years ago, is back at college this year.  
Brophy and Hooper, two Ottawa youngsters, and Rainboth, who played with St. Patrick in the Interprovincial last year, are all good stickhandlers and skaters. Parsons, though very light is a beautiful skater and stickhandler and what he lacks in avoirdupois he makes up in pep. It would not be at all surprising to see any one of these men appear in a first team uniform sometime during the season.  
Last evening owing to the inclement nature of the weather and to the fact that the ice was covered with snow, the men had a very little work-out, contenting themselves with shooting and skating around a cleared track around the rink to condition themselves.  
The following men were out last evening: Mann, Montgomery, Hughes, Rankin, Hob Gilmore, Wickson, Davidson, Rainboth and Hooper.  
There will be a practice of the senior squad this afternoon at 2:30 and Manager Davies hopes that all the men will be on hand.

# McGILL BOATING CLUB DEFEAT OARSMEN

Miller Cup Standing Still Unchanged.

MILLER CUP—SENIOR.				
	Won.	Lost.	Dr.	Pts.
McGill	8	1	2	18
Wesley	8	1	2	18
Crusaders	3	3	1	11
Rowing Club	5	4	1	11
Y. M. C. A.	4	5	2	9
Westminster	2	7	0	4
Highlanders	0	9	0	0

TISDALL CUP—SENIOR.				
	Points	Points	Points	Points
	Scored.	Against	Scored.	Against
McGill	71	16		
Crusaders	130	46		
Wesley	111	42		
Y. M. C. A.	59	50		
Rowing Club	59	50		
Westminster	20	95		
Highlanders	14	122		

The league leaders in the Miller Cup series still remain tied at the head of the table. It was expected that the Wesley would have no difficulty in defeating Westminster, but it was believed the Rowing Club would give McGill a close run for the points and they actually did so. The Rowing Club had been able to field a full team. Wesley won from Westminster by 24 points to nil. McGill led the Oarsmen by 11 points to 3, and Y. M. C. A. trimmed the Highlanders by 22 points to 3. Proctor Point was the scene of a terrible state and when the Oarsmen, who are the only team to have defeated McGill lined up to meet the collegians again, they numbered only twelve men instead of fifteen. While the Oarsmen were three short, McGill ran up a goal and a try and throughout the Oarsmen played one short. In spite of this they gave the Collegians a hard struggle in the second half and each side scored a try.  
Mr. Martin Harvey, will follow Miss Anglin at His Majesty's Theatre for a week's engagement, beginning Monday evening, January 12th.  
Mr. Harvey will be seen in "The Only Way," "The Cigarette Maker's Romance," "The Only Way," which will be a great feature of the visit, is a dramatization of the late Freeman Wills and Canon Langford's of Dickens famous story "The French Revolution." "A Tale of Two Cities." Mr. Martin Harvey first came to the forefront of his profession at home with his masterly delineation of the role of Sidney Carton, the dissolute barrister who heroically saves the guillotine to save his rival in love. Since his first production the play has been seen by nearly two million people in the British Isles and during all this time Mr. Martin Harvey has not missed a single performance. A special repertory was arranged last summer in London in view of the Canadian tour and on the last night Mr. Harvey in response to clamorous demands for a speech, aroused a fresh storm of enthusiasm by his allusions to the great journey overseas which the celebrated play was destined to make.  
"The Breed of the Treshams" is a romantic "costume play" placed in the period of the Parliamentary wars in England. It is a close rival to "The Cigarette Maker's Romance." It tells the story of the misadventure which befell a certain Polish nobleman who lost his memory in an accident and was dispossessed of his titles and estates by an unscrupulous kinsman. The final lighting of the wrongs and the restoration of the Count to the poverty of the little cottage factory where he had spent his years of exile to the enjoyment of his full faculties and property make a play of extraordinary appeal.

**MARY PICKFORD AT THE STRAND.**  
The writer, who is responsible for this criticism, was asked by a patron of the Strand the other evening at the end of the performance where he could secure a set of the postcards of "David Copperfield," on view at the front of the building; a picture which had such a phenomenal run the early part of the season. The man, who was on parting, stated that he had never enjoyed anything so much as the presentation in picture of this famous book at the Strand.  
This party only voiced the general opinion of Strand patrons, and this is just another of the first run features which will be shown from time to time.  
For the first three days of the week commencing Monday, January 12th, that most popular motion picture star, little Mary Pickford, in Mrs. Elske's famous success, "Caprice," in four reels, will be the chief feature.  
The synopsis of the picture follows:—Weary of the artificiality of social life, Jack Barton goes into the Southern mountains for a hunting trip. He accidentally wounds Mercy, a mountain maid. There is something so charming about her stoic courage that Jack's heart goes out to her and never quite returns. In spite of her protestations he marries her and brings her back to his beautiful home, where her backward manners make her scorned and derided. As a consequence later she quietly slips out of this world of sham and goes to a school to educate her. While at

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# TOBACCO MONOPOLY.

The French government's tobacco monopoly brought a net income to the state last year of \$105,000,000, or the largest return since the formation of the monopoly 102 years ago. This vast profit was made out of a capital of about \$30,000,000, or about one-third the capitalization of the lately dissolved American company.  
Visitors to France are inclined to criticize the quality of tobacco supplied them, principally because they are unable to find their favorite brands such as are on sale at home. But as Frenchmen have no knowledge of tobacco in any form, except such as is supplied them by the government they are quite content with the qualities of tobacco, although they may grumble at the prices. Much of the tobacco smoked in France is grown in the country itself. The government keeps a sharp eye on all raisers of the leaf, and the whole of the crop must be sold to the state at a fair appraisal.  
Twenty great factories work up the whole of the tobacco manufactured in France, and the right to retail is jealously guarded by the state. Permits to open tobacco shops are usually granted to widows of officers of the army or navy, or of other employees of the government. The widows usually lease their permits to other persons in consideration of fixed annual payments. The price of a cigar or a given quality is the same all over France, and the same if one cigar or a thousand are purchased. The hotels and restaurants buy their cigars at the same prices as they are sold to the general public, but they add from 50 to 100 per cent. to their own profit. There are 47,350 authorized tobacco planters in France, who grow about 40,000,000 pounds of tobacco on 50,000 acres. The monopoly, besides buying all the tobacco grown in France, purchases 55,000,000 pounds of foreign-grown tobacco, most of it from American leaf.

# MOST UNREASONABLE.

Two suburban mothers met on the train one day, and the topic of their conversation was their daughters. "How did your daughter pass her examination for a position as teacher?" asked one. "Pass!" was the answer. "She didn't pass at all. Maybe you wouldn't believe it, but they asked that girl about things that happened long before she was born."—The Associated Press.



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## MOCK PARLIAMENT

The Liberals set the ball rolling towards a successful Mock Parliament, when they held their organization yesterday afternoon. They evidently intend to leave no stone unturned in their efforts to oust the government from their present exalted position. They have their coats of arms in the game, and unless the Conservatives come along very soon and start something it looks as though the situation will be somewhat interesting.

The Mock Parliament presents unlimited opportunity for the unburdening of the ideas that some of our youthful aspirants after political prestige may possess. There could be no better sphere for the ice-breaking process that must necessarily be preliminary to every appearance in the political arena.

Besides, even for the ordinary individual to whom the prospect of a public career makes no appeal, the Mock Parliament affords an opportunity for developing possible latent powers along the lines of speaking in public.

Great scenes have been enacted in the last few years at these interesting meetings. At times the tension becomes very strong and people flare up for a little but the spirit has always been good and none who have been privileged to attend them will deny that they serve a useful purpose and exert a singular influence on all who take part in them.

Sectarianism in any shape or form is a thing to be deprecated in a centre of learning and we would be very strong in denunciation of attempts at the formation of parties working against one another and not for the common weal of our Alma Mater. But the Mock Parliament, as we see it, is not the breeding-ground of factious principles but a centre of influence in the life of the university, that sort of influence that brings students together, giving them a common interest and making them one in a desire to use their noblest efforts for the good that they can do.

## GRADUATES

Science men, Medicals and Theologues are the greatest wanderers among McGill graduates. The Arts men seem to be more stay-at-home, while the Law Grads in the nature of their course, are restricted almost to the single province of Quebec.

Chinese names are familiar to McGill graduates who have taken up missionary work. Picture postcards directed to them might travel by man wagon into the interior of the rain-and-dry belt, by little missionary launches up the Pacific or the Labrador coast, by dog sleigh to Hudson's Bay.

The domain of the men of Science and Medicine among McGill grads. is by practice even larger. Rhodesia is mentioned in today's Alumni column; several Asiatic points might be mentioned. Wherever a survey line is being run across a county, or a parish, or a farm, in the United States, one need not be surprised to meet a McGill grad. They travel long distances for a summer's work, and the average college graduate from an applied science faculty has seen more queer stretches of country than two Arts men.

Wherever there is a new town, or there is going to be one, or there is a big lumber camp, or any passenger boat where there is the man with the little leather bag of "tools," there may be a McGill grad. For they are travellers too.

This is the address of Leighton Stewart, of the class of 1909, Applied Science: Asst. Superintendent Cusi Mining Company, Cuicunhuahua, Chihuahua, Mexico. There are hundreds of others in the five continents just as bad where McGill men are stationed.

## EDITORIAL NOTE

The Alumni column, which appears today, deals largely with graduates of the Arts faculty. Next week emphasis will be laid on men with the B. Sc. degree, and the following week on those with the M. D. degree. And so also with the B. C. L. men.

## McGill Twenty-Four Months Ago

From the McGill Daily of Wednesday, January 10, 1912.

The year 1914 will hold its first regular hockey practice on Thursday between nine and ten p.m. All aspirants for the team are requested to turn out as the first league game will be held towards the end of the week.

The McGill Conservative party will meet to-morrow night, in Strathcona Hall for the third big rally of the season, Mr. Kahan K.C., and other prominent Conservatives in Montreal will address the meeting. Every Conservative will do well to attend. The meeting is open to all comers. A special invitation is extended to Liberals. Follow Dr. Leacock's example and join the Conservatives!

Hon. F. A. Clawson and Hon. E. B. Reid, Chief Conservative Whip, announce the appointment of the following members of parliament, as whips in their respective faculties, and desire the appointed whips to get busy immediately and sign up all the Conservatives in their faculties for the Mock Parliament which opens on Saturday: H. B. Church, M.P. (first year arts); Cyril Church, M.P. (third year arts); Hon. Mr. McKim, M.P. (third year arts); H. F. Cole, M.P. (third year science); T. M. Hamar, M.P. (first year science); B. R. Hooper, M.P. (first year civil); J. E. Bruneau, M.P. (fourth year medicine); Hon. Mr. Burke, M.C., and Hon. Reg. Plimsall, M.C. (law); Archie Stalker, M.P. (science); Mr. Atcheson, M.P. (medicine); Hon. J. L. Roy, M.C. (fourth year mining); Hon. Mr. Henschorn, M.C. (fourth year arts); Mr. Lemeseur (law).

The second company rally of the McGill Conservatives took place in Strathcona Hall last night. The Rt. Hon. John MacNabghon, Prime Minister and President of the Council, of course, occupied the chair. Most of the

## The Man Who Went Into London Slums To Fight

General Booth is Talked of By G. F. Dewey in Historical Club. He Did Things Whole-Souledly.

### GENERAL BOOTH.

Paper read before the Historical Club, January 8, by G. F. Dewey.

"I hungered for hell. I pushed into the midst of it—London's East Side. For days I stood in those seething streets, muddy with men and women, drinking it all in and loving it all. Yes, I loved it because of the souls I saw. I knew I had found my work. One night I went home and said to my wife: 'Darling, I have given you and our children to the service of those sick souls.' She smiled and took my hand and we knelt together. That was the first meeting of the Salvation Army."

In these words we find expressed in a vivid way the ideal, the passion which spurred Wm. Booth on from one achievement to another until he became 'one of the greatest benefactors of mankind, and one of the noblest Christians whose names history can record' as the Cologne Gazette said on the occasion of his death.

Wm. Booth was born at Notting-ham on the 10th of April, 1829.

He was educated at a private school and early displayed that religious individuality which was throughout his long life so marked a trait of his character. At the age of 13 he decided that the Church of England wouldn't meet his religious needs and joined the Wesleyan Methodist Connection. It wasn't until he had reached the age of 15, however, that he was converted. He tells us that "the hour, the place and many other particulars of this glorious transaction are indelibly recorded on my memory."

Another outstanding landmark in the development of the religious life of General Booth was the coming of an American revivalist to Nottingham. Booth didn't do things by halves and when he had decided which side he was going to fight on, he fought. With a number of other young men, he went into the slums and carried on a successful work. This attracted the notice of the leaders of his sect and at the age of 17 he was asked to become a local preacher, but refused. At 19 he declined a call to the regular ministry and went to London where he was engaged in business for three years, gaining an experience which stood him in good stead in later years and

winning approval for his thoroughness and ability. Even at this time, he spent much energy in mission work, and in 1851 gave up business to engage in religious work first in London and then in Lincolnshire. At the age of 24 he decided to become a regular minister and returned to London to study. "But my studies were very much broken in upon and sadly interrupted by the more practical business of saving souls." We see this same note predominating right through his life.

At the age of 24 he was ordained as a regular minister of the Methodist Connection. His special work was that of an evangelist, and as such he visited most of the chief towns in England. The results were marvellous, at the end of a seven weeks' tour, 1,700 persons having signified their conversion. He was re-appointed to this work for another year but his methods didn't suit some of the elders and "respectable" people and he was ordered to return to the regular ministry. For once he bowed to religious authority, and spent the next four years as the settled minister at Halifax and Gateshead.

We now come to a crisis in his career, to the event which led to the rupture with formal religious systems. At the close of his term at Gateshead, the people eagerly desired that he should be re-appointed for another term. Application was made to the central authorities and after much delay, it was announced that the matter would be settled at the next Conference. A compromise, which could not have been put into practice, was offered and refused absolutely by Booth. It was passed by a vote of the Conference, however, and Booth and his wife cut themselves free from all their past associations and went out together to face the world and follow the path of duty as they saw it, no matter where it might lead.

They went on revival tours to Cornwall, Cardiff and Walsall and it was in the latter place that the idea of the famous Hallelujah Band was conceived. The cut and dried methods of religious work failed to reach the people and so one day Booth gathered all the celebrities of vice who had been converted from different centres, held a big parade and conducted meetings all day. The crowds came and much good was accomplished.

(Continued on Monday.)

## CORRESPONDENCE

### FUTURE ARCHITECTURE OF MCGILL UNIVERSITY.

To the Editor of The McGill Daily:

The announcement that work may soon be commenced on the gymnasium, the first of the buildings to be erected on the new grounds of McGill University, brings up a question of great importance: What is to be the architecture of the new McGill? The effect of good college architecture on the student body is scarcely ever realized in a country such as ours where little exists. But there is no graduate of one of the older European Universities who does not refer to it instinctively. The serene quadrangles, the stately halls, the chapels and cloisters of wondrous beauty, all speaking history, produce veneration and incline to a love of study. "The Spell of the Ford" is largely in its buildings. It is almost an education to linger some days about the Abbey of St. Nicholas at Middleburg. It must be remembered that the student age is one of strong impressions and idealism. This has been instinctively recalled in the planning of Chicago University, of Vassar Library, of Memorial Hall at Harvard, of even the new University of Saskatchewan and other colleges in America. McGill at present has a few features good enough to produce the same effect on an undergraduate. The Doric Portico of the Main Building, coupled with the colonial urn-topped monument in front of it, over the grave of the founder, yield sufficient to give some color to the pride in "Old McGill." The lofty stained window-cloak carved over the entrance, the thoughtful inscriptions of the Library make a meet atmosphere for reading. The new Medical Building is a dream, in its white stone and tile, its arches, pillars and passages. The Museum is one end of a large plan for a Main Building which, while it had merits, was perhaps best not carried out, as it would have narrowed the grounds. The general aspect of the old grounds, with the campus in front, and Mount Royal towering behind, is beautiful, and although the buildings as a whole are heterogeneous, it may be still possible, to make something of a harmony out of them if the erections in the spaces now vacant were designed with the object and better trees planted, looking to the future. But the great opportunity is in Macdonald Park, the new grander site. There everything can yet be planned as one. Such a plan in fact exists and

cabinet were present, including Hon. W. E. G. Muir, Minister of Imperial Affairs; Hon. H. P. McKen, Minister of Inland Revenues; Hon. H. C. Farthing, Minister of Fisheries; Hon. E. B. Reid, Minister of Agriculture; Hon. H. S. Hershorn, Minister of Finance; F. A. Clouston, Minister of Militia; A. R. W. Plimsall, Postmaster-General; Hon. J. M. Natel, Minister of Public Works; Hon. J. L. Roy, Minister of Customs; Hon. R. R. Holland, Minister of the Interior, and Hon. T. R. L. McInnes, Minister of Labor.

The third series of public lectures was delivered in the Assembly hall of the R.V.C. on Monday night by Dr. Perrin, before an appreciative audience, speaking on the theme: Shakespeare and Music.

The Liberals are girding themselves for the strife and they are doing so with no small degree of confidence. The platform which is being advanced by official representatives of the Liberal party to secure converts can be expounded only in general terms. As far as we are able to learn, it contains five main planks, built up as follows: First, the Naval Question; second, Imperial Preference; third, Bill to Prevent Stock Watering; fourth, Discouragement of Southern European Emigration; fifth, Publication of the Contributions to the Campaign Funds.

## DEPARTMENT OF MINES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. PUBLICATIONS

The Geological Survey has published maps and reports dealing with a large part of Canada, with many local areas and special subjects.

A catalogue of publications will be sent free to any applicant. Most of the older reports are out of print, but they may usually be found in public libraries, libraries of the Canadian Mining Institute, etc.

### REPORTS RECENTLY ISSUED:

- CANADA**  
1065. Descriptive Sketch of the Geology and Economic Minerals of Canada. Accompanied by a geological and mineral map of Canada, by G. A. Young and R. W. Brock.  
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1165. Memoir No. 18. Bathurst District, New Brunswick, by G. A. Young. Maps not yet published.  
**QUEBEC**  
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1242. Memoir 33. Geology of Gowganda Mining Division, by W. H. Collins.  
**NORTH WEST PROVINCES**  
1204. Memoir No. 21. Preliminary Report on the Clay and Shale Deposits of the Western Provinces, by Heinrich Ries and Joseph Keefe.  
1220. Memoir 23. Oil and gas prospects of the Northwest Provinces of Canada, by Wyatt Malcolm. Map not yet published.  
**BRITISH COLUMBIA**  
1175. Memoir No. 21. The Geology and Ore Deposits of Phoenix, Boundary District, B.C., by O. E. LeRoy.  
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J. A. NICHOLSON, Registrar.

[Ed. Note.—Dr. Young's statement, delivered before a public meeting in Vancouver, on or about New Year's Day, was that a graduating year would be added to the work of McGill University College. As the financial support of that institution is derived almost entirely from the Provincial Government, which largely directs its policy, the statement seemed not to need confirmation as to its truth, especially as there has been for two years an endeavor to bring about such an issue.]

No mention was made in the statement of Dr. Young, that the University of British Columbia would confer the degrees, and the impression he left with his audience was that the Vancouver institution, a branch of McGill, with examinations set here, would do so. We should have communicated with the registrar's office for further news, if the original news itself had not been received so late in the day.

We are glad to receive from Mr. Nicholson the announcement that the McGill University authorities here have never intimated the intention of granting degrees under such conditions. And since we are absolutely certain that it is the present intention of the British Columbia authorities to establish a graduating year in McGill University College next year, there is no doubt that the degree will neither be recognized by the University of British Columbia, or simply be a sign that four years of satisfactory work has been done at McGill, British Columbia, by its extremely probable, as Mr. Nicholson indicates, that Dr. Young intends to have the University of British Columbia recognize the work done in the Western college, by those who graduate from it next year.

Mr. Nicholson has corrected us where we were wrong in stating that McGill would grant the degrees, to be granted by McGill [British Columbia.] Without meaning to be unreasonably censorious may I say in conclusion (what is surely self-evident), that before the article in question had been

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